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**Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection**  
Ben Brancel, Secretary

DATE: April 23, 2014  
TO: Board of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection  
FROM: Ben Brancel, Secretary *Ben Brancel*  
SUBJECT: Update on Lean Six Sigma – Continuous Improvement Initiative

TO BE PRESENTED BY: Perry Brown, Agency Six Sigma – Continuous Improvement Point of Contact

RECOMMENDATION / REQUESTED ACTION: None

SUMMARY / BACKGROUND: The Agency Point of Contact and staff from Ag Resource Management and Food Safety will update the Board on DATCP's Six Sigma – Continuous Improvement program initiated under Executive Order #66.

Presentation will provide an update on implementation of past DATCP Six Sigma projects, information on 10 new Six Sigma projects currently in the start-up phase and a summary of Agency Lean Six Sigma staff training.

Project/Team Leaders from the Division of Ag Resource Management/Bureau of Land & Water Resources and the Division of Food Safety/Bureau of Food Safety will provide short presentations on two projects that are having a significant impact on agency internal operations and improved services to Agency customers.

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